# PENTATONIC PATTERNS

in Cm

5th
R
H
-3rd
7th
R
33
34
35
36
Two steps downward/up (ascending):
4th
R
-3rd
5th
7th
4th
5th
R
-3rd
7th
R
4th
5th
-3rd
4th
7th
37
38
39
40
41
42
T
A
B

Group of 3 upward (ascending): ↗/↗/↘
R -3rd 4th -3rd 4th 5th 4th 5th 7th 5th 7th R 7th R -3rd R
-3rd 4th -3rd 4th 5th 4th 5th 7th 5th 7th R
Group of 3 downward (ascending): ↘/↘/↗↗↗
4th -3rd R 5th 4th -3rd 7th 5th 4th R 7th 5th -3rd R 7th 4th
-3rd R 5th 4th -3rd 7th 5th 4th R 7th 5th -3rd R 7th

Group of 3 up/down (ascending): ↗/↗/↗/↘/↘/↗
R -3rd 4th 5th 4th -3rd 4th 5th 7th R 7th 5th 7th R -3rd 4th
-3rd R -3rd 4th 5th 7th 5th 4th 5th 7th R -3rd R 7th R
Group of 3 down/up (ascending): ↘/↘/↗/↗/↗/↗
4th -3rd R -3rd 4th 5th 7th 5th 4th 5th 7th R -3rd R 7th R
-3rd 4th 5th 4th -3rd 4th 5th 7th R 7th 5th 7th R -3rd

Group of 3 up/down (descending): ↗/↗/↘/↘/↘/↘
Group of 3 down/up (descending): ↘/↘/↘/↗/↗/↘

Group of 4 upward (ascending):
R -3rd 4th 5th -3rd 4th 5th 7th
4th 5th 7th R 5th 7th R -3rd
7th R -3rd 4th R -3rd 4th 5th
-3rd 4th 5th 7th 4th 5th 7th R
5th 7th R -3rd 7th R -3rd 4th

5th 7th R -3rd 4th 5th 7th R -3rd 4th 5th 7th R
Group of 4 downward (descending): ↘/↘/↘/↗↗
R 7th 5th 4th 7th 5th 4th -3rd 5th 4th -3rd R 4th -3rd R 7th
-3rd R 7th 5th R 7th 5th 4th 7th 5th 4th -3rd 5th 4th -3rd R
T
A
B

4th -3rd R 7th R -3rd 4th 5th
7th 5th 4th -3rd 4th 5th 7th R
-3rd R 7th 5th 7th R -3rd 4th
Group of 4 up/down (descending): ➚/➚/➚/➘/➘/➘/➘/➘/➘
4th 5th 7th R 7th 5th 4th -3rd
R -3rd 4th 5th 4th -3rd R 7th
5th 7th R -3rd R 7th 5th 4th
-3rd 4th 5th 7th 5th 4th -3rd R

Group of 4 down/up (descending): ➘/➘/➘/➘/➚/➚/➚/➘
R
7th
5th
4th
-3rd
4th
5th
7th
5th
4th
-3rd
R
7th
R
-3rd
4th
-3rd
R
7th
5th
4th
5th
7th
R
7th
5th
4th
-3rd
P
H
T
A
B